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TO : General Counsel

DATE: 20 September 1952

FROM : Assistant Director, Current Intelligence

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SUBJECT: Jury Service -- [REDACTED]

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1. [REDACTED] Chief of the Latin America Branch of the Western Division, OCI, has been summoned as a juror in the Circuit Court for Prince George's County beginning 13 October 1952. He was informally advised that the term would last at least six weeks.

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2. [REDACTED] transferred to OCI in July 1952, and has been on active duty as Branch Chief only since early August. He is doing an excellent job in becoming oriented to a position markedly different from his former one, and it is felt that an absence of approximately six weeks would not only seriously dislocate the work of the Branch, but also further delay Mr. [REDACTED] becoming completely adjusted to his new position.

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3. The summons received by [REDACTED] states that excuses on any valid ground should be presented to Hon. Charles C. Marbury, A. J., in writing at the Court House, Upper Marlboro, Maryland, before 29 September 1952.

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4. It is requested that every possible effort be made to have [REDACTED] excused from jury duty in accordance with the provisions of [REDACTED] dated 6 January 1952.

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